

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS

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TAGS: BBAK, BFOL, NI

SUBJ: GOVERNMENT AND COMMERCIAL BANKS OPERATING IN NIGERIA

REF: LAGOS A 254 DTD 7/3/71

WOULD APPRECIATE UPDATE REF AIR IN VIEW OF  
INDIGENIZATION, CURRENCY CHANGES, ACCELERATION  
NIGERIAN FOREIGN EXCHANGE AVAILABILITY, GROWING U.S.  
INTEREST TRADE AND JOINT VENTURES WITH NIGERIANS.  
INFORMATION ON TOTAL ASSETS OF EACH BANK WOULD BE  
ESPECIALLY HELPFUL. KISSINGER

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